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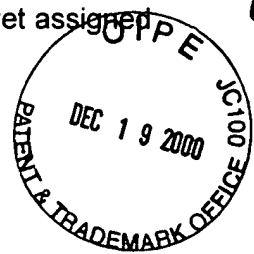
PATENT

Customer Number 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 552.1443-00

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In re Application of:)
Paul MELLER) Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
Application No.: 09/680,436) Examiner: Not yet assigned
Filed: October 6, 2000)
For: SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC AND)
NEPHELOMETRIC DETECTION)
UNIT)

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a Second Preliminary Amendment. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a [number] month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$[Fee] for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	40	-	25	15	x \$ 18	\$ 270.00
Indep.	1	-	3	0	x \$ 80	0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$270	0
Subtotal						\$ 270.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0
TOTAL						\$ 270.00

☒ A fee of \$270.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this Second Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

☐ A fee of \$_____ to cover _____ is enclosed.

☒ A check for \$270.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: December 19, 2000

By: Charles E. Van Horn
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